AFFAIRS IN BROOKLYN.

THE HOLIDAY QUIETLY CELEBRATED.

PARADE OR PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION-THE DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS POSTPONED-

MANY PEOPLE STRUCK BY

STRAY BULLETS.

In spite of the fact that the Aldermen appropriated 8175 for the decoration and illumination of the City Hall yesterday, no adequate display was made. City Hall Keeper Duane simply strung rainbows of flags over the roof and displayed the National, State and city flags from the poles. Half a dozen shields were put up in the bell-tower. At night the building illuminated by lighting the gas in all the rooms and rolling up the shades. The display made was the subject of much unfavorable comment. A public man said that a better showing could have

been made by the expenditure of \$50.

The quiet character of the holiday was noticeable in the streets of the city. There were no parades or public demonstrations to mark the day, and save for the display of flags and the firing of firecrackers and pistols, the streets appeared as on The early trains and boats carried many persons to the country and the seaside, and in the on many went to Prospect and Fort Greene parks and to Coney Island. The day was ushered in with only a slight amount of noise at midnight, and throughout the day the sounds of firecrackers

and explosions of powder were fewer than usual.

At daybreak a salute of 100 guns was fired on Fort Greene parapet by Captain Peter Fitzpatrick, and who have performed this patriotic duty for a score of years. Similar salutes roused the echoes in Court st. down by the Bay, and in Stagg at. in the distant Eastern District. The guns were also fired at noon and sunset from the same places. eno's Band gave a special concert in Prospec Park in the afternoon, and fully 10,000 people were present. There was a large attendance at the Jefferson Club of the Seventh Ward had the Declara-tion of Independence read and addresses at the

Owing to the dampness the four public displays of fireworks arranged for the evening were postponed. Owing to the dampness the four public displays of fireworks arranged for the evening were postponed. The programme arranged will be fully carried out for the Aldermen are determined that the city shall get the worth of the \$1,900 appropriated for pyrotechnics. A large number of minor casualities incidential to the day were reported by the police, but no fatal accidents and few fires. The general dampness contributed greatly to the safety from fire. Charles Kredamacher, age twenty-two, of No. 25 Hart-st., was shot in the right leg by John Woods, the engineer in Scharmann's Brewery, in Pulaski-st., who was firing a pistol to celebrate the day. Enrique D. Hammill, ago thirteen, of No. 457 Fifth-st., was badly burned on the face, hands and body by the unexpected explosion of some powder he was playing with. His hurts were dressed at the Seney Hospital.

While John Robback, age thirteen, of No. 468 Carroll-st., was walking up the steps of No. 406 Third-st, he received a bullet wound in the leg. He was treated at the Brooklyn Hospital.

Mrs. Arthur H. Battey, of No. 302 Tompkins-ave., was sitting by a second-story front window in her knew them a pistol bullet struck her in the breast. She was not seriously hurt. William Levi. age thirty-seven, of No. 304 Myrtle-ave., received a bullet wound in the face. Isnae Moth, age seven. while playing in front of his home, No. 308 Stagg-st., was struck by a stray bullet. John Donney, age twenty-three, was shot in the left leg by some unknown person while sitting on the sidewalk at Hoyt and President sts.

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Frederick Wernersbach, age sixteen, of No. 405 Humboldt-st., and William Uhi, age fifteen, of No. 304 Leonard-st., were severely burned in the face and hands by an explosion of gunpowder at Finshing, at about 2 p. m. Both were brought to the city and had their burns dressed at st. Catharine's Hospital, after which they went home. Jennie Ryan, age thirty, of No. 251 High-st., was accidentally shot yesterday afternoon by a pistol in the hands of Henry Brown, age twenty-one, of No. 177 Hudson-ave. The bullet inflicted a slight wound in the side. Brown was arrested for discharging firearms in a public place.

Olga Mary Jackson, age twenty-five, of No. 1.030 Dean-st., visited her sister, Mrs. Hykeson, at No. 192 Sackett-st., last evening and was standing in the doorway when a shot from some unknown source struck her in the right check, indicting a flesh wound Thomas Sheridan, age twelve, of No. 1.050 Gatesave., while endeavoring to fire a toy cannon at Broadway and Linden-st. last evening, was badly injured by a premature explosion which filled his face with powder. The boy will probably lose the sight of both eyes.

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A balloon sent up last evening by some people enjoying a display of fireworks in the neighborhood, set fire to the cupola of the house No. 123 Schermerhornst., owned and occupied by Mrs. Ellen D. Scott. The damage to the building was \$2,000 and to the furniture \$1,000. While engaged in putting out the fire, James Vale, the district engineer, and John Ward, a fireman, were injured by a portion of the ceiling of a room in the upper story falling on them.

HELD ON A CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER. THE DRUG CLERK WHO PUT UP A FATAL PRE

SCRIPTION SENT TO THE RAYMOND STREET JAIL

prescription which Nicholas Carroll, of No. 194 Baltic-st., took with a fatal result, was arraigned before Coroner Rooney yesterday morning and held in \$5,000 bail on a charge of manslaughter. His employer, Mr. Cannon, who had returned from his wedding-trip on Thursday night, was with him. Friends out of the city had been sent for to come and go on his bond. These did not appear, so Mr. Roberts was sent to the Raymond Street Jail. His friends are expected to ar-rive this morning. In obedience to his lawyer's in-

structions, Mr. Roberts refuses to talk. Mr. Cannon, when seen by a Tribune reporter, said that he wanted to see exact justice done, and if the clerk had made a mistake, he wanted him punished, but he doubted whether the mistake was the clerk's fault. He had not seen the prescription, but it had been placed in the hands of a friend of Roberts to hold until the legal investigation. Mr. Cannon said that the crystalline hyoscyamine was not ten times as strong as the amorphous preparation, and that both forms of the drug were of unknown strength and little used. His clerk held druggists' certificates in Mary-

used. His clerk held druggists' certificates in Maryland and Pennsylvania and had had a drug-store of his own for four years at Girard-ave, and Hroad-st., Philadelphia. Roberts had been married four years, but had no children. He had never been known to make a mistake in a prescription.

After Mr. Roberts was arrested on Thursday night the store was left temporarily in the hands of a boy who refused to give his name, but who answered to the title of "Sam." He said that about 1 o'clock yesterday morning he took the prescription from the file and gave it to Mr. Cannon. He did not look at it and would not have known anything about it if he had.

Dr. Hutchinson said to a Tribune reporter that he had frequently given the same dose that he prescribed for Mr. Carroll and he regarded it as a safe one, although the authorities differed greatly in regard to the amount of hyoscyamine, or henbane, that could be taken with impunity. He did not understand why hyoscine was put up by the clerk instead of hyoscyamine. The former was about ten times stronger than the latter. Both are alkaloids of hyoscyamus, or henbane, and are new remedies, the use of which is not yet fully known.

SHE KILLED HERSELF IN A CEMETERY. THE BODY FOUND LYING UPON A GRAVE-

PISTOL AND A BOTTLE OF POISON NEAR BY.

Among the visitors at the Cemetery of the Ever greens yesterday afternoon was Mrs. Eva Wiegel, of No. 835 Gates-ave. While passing over Hickory Knoll, a somewhat unfrequented portion of the come-tery, she discovered the dead body of a woman lying upon a grave in her plot. Mrs. Wiegel hastened inform the cemetery authorities. It was found that the oman had committed suicide and that she had been dead about twenty-four hours. She had a pistol in one hand and a bottle of poison beside her. The for mer had done the deadly work, as a bullet wound in the right temple showed. She had evidently been prepared to use the poison in case the pistol shot failed

to prove fatal. The dead woman was about thirty-five years old, of stout build, and had dark brown hair. She work a dark cashmere dress, with a black silk waist, a black straw hat with red flowers, red and blue striped stockings, white lace mitts, and carried a black silk stockings, white lace mitts, and carried a black silk parasol. In her pocket were a handkerchief marked "M. A. No. 2" and zer-d bearing the name "F. D. A. Niedermann, No. 45 Washington-st., Hoboken, with Mr. White. The woman was evidently a German. The body was sent to the Morgue by the Seventeenth Precinct police. The Hoboken police reported that a woman named Niedermann had been missing from No. 45 Washington-st. since Thursday morning. Her full name is Mrs. Ada Niedermann, and she rented a furnished room of Mr. White, who occupied the house She had lived there for two weeks. Mr. White knew nothing about her. He will go to Brooklyn to-day and take charge of the body.

TRYING TO CARRY OFF A BRIDE BY FORCE. Michael Michaels was engaged to be married to Vito Siorito last evening. The couple with Michael-s brother, Frank, were at Michael's room in the second floor of No. 28 Atlantic-ave., when three cousins of the young woman appeared upon the scene. There were Lust Sauci, age twenty-three, Nicola Risenca, age twenty-three, and Nicoletta Risenca, age fifty, all of No. 125 Mott-st., New-York. They were opposed to the mar riage, and came to take away the girl by force. Michael and Frank attempted to prevent this, and the two male visitors opened fire with revolvers. Patrolmen Warrail and Marony arrived and arrested the New-Yorkers. Susifing a Micola were charged with assault in the third degree. Nicola is also charged with carrying a concealed weapons, as a daggar was found on him when searched at the Fifteenth Precinct Police Station.

Nicoletta is charged with having a revolver. It is

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supposed that it was passed to her by Nicola after the light.

TWO YOUNG MEN DROWNED TOGETHER. Three young men named Patrick Weish, Edward Bagot and John Connors, all living in Brooklyn, Baggett and Patrick Conners, all living in Brooklyn, went to Canarsie yesterday morning and hired a rowboat to go bluefishing in Jamaica Bay. They rowed about the Bay for several hours, and in the afternoon one of the young men dropped a pair of oars into the water. Young Bagot at once jumped overboard to get the oars. He was a good swimmer, and his companions were surprised to hear him shout for help soon after he had entered the water. Bagot cried to his companions that he was drowning and shouted, "For God's sake, save me." Welsh jumped out of the boat and went to the assistance of Bagot. When he and went to the assistance of Bagot. When he reached Bagot the latter caught hold of him in such a manner as to render him almost powerless. The two young men were then seen to struggle desperately, when they both suddenly disappeared and did not come to the surface again. Meantime, Connors was drifting about in the boat in a helpless manner. He was finally picked up by a steamer plying between Rockaway Beach and Canarsie and taken to the latter place. He told the story of the accident here given. Up to a late hour last night the bodies had not been recovered. recovered.

Patrick Welsh was seventeen rears old and was a sen of Martin Welsh, of No. 445 Lexington-ave. Edward Bagot Ilved at No 389 Lexington-ave.

A CENTURY PLANT IN BLOOM. A century plant is in bloom in the greenhouse of J. Condon, of Nos. 734 and 736 Fifth-ave., and it was visited by a number of persons yesterday, who admired the beauty of the flower. The flowering shoot began to grow about five months ago and had at tained a height of nearly thirty feet before the blossoms appeared. Mr. Condon had a century plant in bloom about three years ago and put it upon free exhibition. He has done the same with the present one. After blooming the plant dies.

GATHERED ABOUT THE TOWN. Mrs. Sarah Reade, age forty-five, of Washington-st., fell down the stairs of the Kings County Elevated Railway at Sands and Fulton sts. yesterday, and was seriously injured in the back. She was taken to the

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James Dillon, age forty-four, of No. 52 Marion-st., was found af about 1:45 a. m. yesterday at Howardave. and Bainbridge-st. with a stab wound in the abdomen, received a short time before. He was under the influence of liquor, and refused to give any information as to the cause of the wound. He was taken to St. Mary's Hospital. The police later arrested Henry Mathews, age twenty-four, of No. 171 Sumpter-st., on the charge of assaulting Dillon.

James W. Clark, of No. 153 Monroe-st., reported to

Sumpter-st., on the charge of assaulting Dillon.

James W. Clark, of No. 153 Monroe-st., reported to the police yesterday that he lost on a train on the Union Elevated Railroad on Thursday afternoon a package of bonds and mortgages. Six of them were made out to David Wield upon property at Nos. 355, 365, 345, 343, 357 and 361 Hancock-st., and two were made out to Elbert Snediker on property at Grand and Greene aves. and at Bedford and Greene aves.

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The body of a boy about ten years old, with light complexion and dark hair, dressed in black knee-breeches, black stockings, white waist, and a blue-and-white tie, was picked up yesterday morning in Buttermilk Channel by two men in a boat, and was towed to Conover-st. It had only been a short time in the water, and awaits identification at the Morgue.

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The National Athletic Club of Brooklyn will hold
its first annual games at Ridgewood Park to-day.

Some of the best Long Island shots will take part
in the pigeon-shoot at Dexter Park to-day.

The second elevens of the Brooklyn and Kings
County cricket clubs will play a match in Prospect
park this afterpoon.

The Brooklyn and Bedford lacrosse clubs will play a match game of lacrosse at Washington Park to-day, eginning at 3 p. m.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. BRUNSWICK-Salvador de Mendonca, of the Brazilian Legation at Washington, and Captain L. F. S. da Gama, of the Brazilian Navy. EVERETT-Senator Preston B. Plumb, of Ransos. FIFTH AVENUE-Ex-Governor Henry P. Baldwin, of Michigan. GILSEY-Colonel C. W. Woelley, of Cincinnati. GLENHAM-A. B. Nettleton, of Minneapolis.

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Monmouth Park races, Monmouth Park, 2:30 p. m.
Gymkhana races for ponies, Cedarhurst, 3 p. m.
American Steam Yacht Club regatta for naphtha
launches, Milton Point.
Departure of 9th Regiment and Troop A for State
Camp, Peckskill.
Annual games of National Athletic Club of Brooklyn,
Ridgewood Park, 2 p. m.
Regatta of New-York Boy Squadron of Corinthian
Navy, Lower Bay, 2:30 p. m.
Crictet, New-York against Newark, Central Park,
2 p. m.

cket, Brooklyn Club against St. Paul's School, Propect Park, 11 a. m. New-Rochelle Yacht Club regatta, Long Island Sound Lucrosse, Brooklyn against Bedford, Washington Park

2 p. m. West Side Fishing Club meeting, Fifty-second-st. and Eleventh-ave., 8 p. m., Cappa's 7th Regiment band, Central Park Mall., 4

NEW-YORK CITY.

A meeting of plano-manufacturers will be held in the hall of the New-York Trade School, at First-ave. and Sixty-eighth-st., on Tuesday evening. After inspecting the work of the scholars a trade school for planomakers will be considered.

An appeal has been sent out by the Constitutiona Prohibitory Amendment Committee to every temperance organization in the State to unite with the committee in order to secure the largest possible interest in the vote on the amendment to the Constitution.

Among the few churches open all summer will be that of the Disciples of Christ, No. 323 West Fifty sixth-st. The Rev. Dr. B. B. Tyler has announced a course of short morning sermons there on various sublects, to begin at 10:45 a. m.

The Melrose Gymnastic Society gave an exhibition in drommer's Union Park yesterday afternoon. A fes-

A dispatch from Denver, Col., yesterday informed Inspector Byrnes of the arrest of Fenjamin S. Bennett on the charge of forgery. The prisoner formerly was a bookkeeper for William K. Hammond, a brickmaket, at No. 624 West Thirtieth-st. Bennett left the city in May, and later it was ascertained that he had forged his employer's signature on checks to the amount of

The funeral of George A. Parkhurst, the actor, was held yesterday at No. 107 1-2 East One-hundred and twenty-second-st., the Rev. A. H. Crosby, of the One-hundred-and-nineteenth Street Presbyterian Church, officiating. The burial will be in Washington, D. C., at 10 o'clock this morning.

Bishop W. A. F. Wulfnigh, of Surinam, will sail today on the steamship Rotterdam. The Bishop, who has made a study of leprosy, is bound for New-Guinea, where he intends, it is said, to found a leprosy hospital.

The funeral of Mrs. Ann Dempsey, who died suddenly last Tuesday, took place at the Church of the Epiphany, at Twenty-second-st. and Second-ave., yeserday morning. The requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father J. P. Lonargan. The dead woman's on, ex-Alderman Dempsey, did not attend the funeral, as it was rumored he would, but it is said that he secretly viewed his mother's remains on Thursday and then retired to his retreat in Jersey City.

The following men have entered for the New-York

Bicycle Club's road-race on July 12: H. G. Noble, W. Horton, J. W. Hanson, A. L. Paynter, H. Van Buren and G. M. Nisbett. Private games will be held by the Pastime Athletic

Club to-morrow at the club grounds, in East Sixty-The Rev. J. T. McEntyre, who has been acting

rector of the Roman Catholic Church in Saugerties for ome months, has returned to St. Theresa's Church in this city as one of the assistants. Judge James Fitzgerald will go to Nantucket on

Tuesday to spend his holidays. The Friendly Nine Pleasure Club celebrated July 4 by its twenty-second annual reception in Washington

in the middle of the Bay off Clifton, S. I., at 5 o'clock

tine tug George C. Preston in an exhausted condi He soon recovered, however, and is now at the Health Officer's station. It is supposed he had fallen overboard from some passing vessel.

The colored children of St. Benedict's Home, No. 120 Macdougal-st., celebrated yesterday the National holiday in the new home at Rye. The band of the Catholic Protectory furnished the music, the children sang songs, and Pather John E. Burke, the rector, gave

The New-York Bicycle Club meeting, which was to ake place on the Westchester County fair-grounds track yesterday, was declared off, on account of the heavy track, caused by the rain.

NEWS FROM NEW-JERSEY.

JERSEY CITY.

SMALL BOYS' PATRIOTISM RAMPANT. The Jersey City small boy and a great many of his elders celebrated Independence Day with a vim that was only limited by their physical ability and cash capital. There was no official celebration, but public oulidings and banks were closed and business was generally suspended. The entire police and fire departments were on duty all day, but there was little for them to do. The list of casualties is comparatively small.

David Ackerman, age eleven, of No. 51 Mercer-st. was left in the house alone by his parents, who went on a visit. They gave him 15 cents to buy his dinner, but he invested in gunpowder, which he put loose it a cigar-box. A spark fell into the box, there was a flash and one side of David's face was shockingly flash and one side of David's face was shockingly burned. He will lose the sight of one eye. An ambulance was called and the boy was taken to the city Hospital. Marks Nohse, of No. 420 Seventh-st, while firing off a small cannon was struck in the left eye by the ramod, which he had carelessly left in the cannon. The injury is serious. Angel Losy, age seven, of No. 408 Third-st, was seriously burned in the face by a powder explosion. James Rosa, age twenty-seven, of No. 408 Third-st, had a finger blown off by the explosion of a small cannon.

NO TRACE OF MR. WENDLANDT'S BODY. No trace has been discovered of the body of Franz Wendlandt, who is believed to have committed suicide at Hoboken with his wife on Thursday. The river and the piers are being closely watched. Two bodies were taken out of the river at Hoboken yesterday, but neither of them was Wendlandt's. The bodies of the mother and her baby, whom she drowned with her, are still in the Morgue, and were viewed by a large number of people yesterday. Several subscriptions have been sent in to pay for the funeral of Mrs. Wendlandt and the baby, the whole amount subscribed up to last evening being \$250.

The books and papers in the box to which Wend andt referred in his letter to Mr. Kaiser, his landlord have been partially examined by the Rev. Mr. Freund. They disclose the fact that Wendlandt's father is a cigar-manufacturer in Berlin, and that he is an officer in the National Guard. Wendlandt was also an officer in the National Guard, and was on a two-years' furlough. He and his wife arrived in this country last october and made their home in Hoboken. Mr. Freund and the police will make a thorough examination of the papers to day. Mrs. Wendlandt and the baby will be buried on Mond. J.

y a train yesterday at the Westside-ave, crossing of the Pennsylvania Railroad and instantly killed.

Pennsylvania Railroad at Warren-st. yesterday after-noon was struck by a locometric and perhaps fatally injured. He was removed to St. Francis Hospital.

John Naviski, age thirty-seven, of Steuben-st., a workman in the Hudson River tunnel, had an attack of the "bends" yesterday, and was taken to Christ's Hospital. The "bends" is the name given by the workmen to a disease peculiar to men who work in compressed air.

NEW-BRUNSWICK. SOME LIVELY AMATEUR O

The principal feature of the celebration in New-Brunswick was the athletic games of the Young Men's Christian Association, which attracted athletenot only from New-Brunswick and its vicinity, but from Newark, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, New-York, Orange, Yonkers and elsewhere. The first contest was a 100-yard run for the local championship, with four entries. It was won by W. Delner, of New-Brunswick; time 10 3-4 seconds. The 100-yard run, with twenty-six entries, was won by D. C. Clegg, of Philadelphia; time 10 2-5 seconds. H. Baird, Jr., of
Yonkers, was second. The running high-jump, with
twelve entries, was won by H. K. Zust, of New-York;
height, 5 feet 6 1-3 laches. The 440-yard run,
eight entries, was won by E. L. Saire, New-York;
time 53 4-5 seconds. The mile run, twenty entries,
was won by F. R. Whitney, of Yonker; time 4 minutes
41 1-5 seconds. The mile walk, nine entries, was won
by James Lewis, of New-Brunswick; time 4 minutes
41 1-5 seconds. The 230-yard run, twenty-six entries,
was won by F. W. Allen, of Philadelphia; time 25
seconds. The 880-yard run, twenty-two entries, was
won by H. H. Morrell, of New-York; time 2 minutes
17 seconds.

ELIZABETH. WINNERS IN ATHLETIC SPORTS.

In celebration of the Fourth of July there were public exercises in Jefferson Park yesterday morning presentation of a flag to the Orphan Asylum and athletic sports in the afternoon, gold and silver medals being awarded to the successful competitors. The 75-yard dash was won by Hugh F. Boyle; the 220-yard race was won by P. Collins; Richard Williamson won the half-mile run; the three-legged race was won by James McGann and Edward Phillips the sack-race was won by Hugh Boyle, and the wheel the sack-race was won by Hugh Boyle, and the wheelbarrow race by Edward Phillippe. Jerry Sullivan
captured the greased pig, which became his prize.
Glen Phillips was the first man to climb the greased
pole. Fully 2,000 persons attended the athlete
sports, while the patriotic exercises in the morning
were attended by as many more. The Veteran
Zonaves and Unity Division Knights of Pythias made
a street parade in the morning and serenaded Captain
J. H. Corey, a naval veteran, who hospitably entertained them. A two-mile race in the afternoon was won
by George Dupne, who defeated William Holden.

The tournament of the Orange Lawn Tennis Clui vesterday was postponed on account of the wet con dition of the grounds. It will be played to-day.

The South Orange Field Club held a reception in its pretty clubhouse at Montrose yesterday afternoon. The grounds were filled with people and the clubhous was gayly decorated with orange and white draperies Was gayly decorated over by Mrs. William Howard White, assisted by Mrs. William F. Allen, Mrs. Edward Shepard, Miss M. L. Smith, Miss Alice Pulsford, Miss Lizzle Leutrel, Miss Margaret Baldwin, Miss Hester Oakley, Miss Agnes Miles, Miss Susie Lawrence, Miss Belle Ward, Miss Foster, Miss Isabelle Milligan and

A game of ball was played between the Field Club nine and the Liewellyn Athletic Club, of Orange. The latter won by the score of 22 to 10.

The celebration of the Fourth of July in the Oranges was the most quiet one for many years. The day opened with a salute and the ringing of the church bells. This was repeated at noon and at sunset. In the afternoon and evening free concerts were given on the military common. In the evening there were a large number of fine displays of fireworks in Liewellyn Park and other places.

PLAINFIELD.

BADLY INJURED WHILE FIRING CANNON. Two accidents, with serious results, are the out come of the celebration of the Fourth of July in Plainfield. Garret Wyckoff used a cigarette instead of a slow match in touching off a large cannon in Arlington-ave. yesterday morning. As a result of the ex-plosion which followed, one of Wyckoff's eyes wablown out and his face was badly burned and filled with infused powder.
William McDonald, a South Second-st. boy, touched

off a cannon with one hand, while in his other hand be held a package of powder. His body, breast and face were horribly blistered.

Jacob Grieb's house, at Third-st, and Spooner-ave., was struck by lightning on Taursday afternoon. The house was badly damaged, and Mrs. Grieb and two children were rendered unconscious by the shock. They will all recover.

NORTHERN NEW-JERSEY COUNTIES.

HOBOKEN.-There was an explosion of sewer-gas

caused some damage. The man-hole cover was blown about twenty feet in the air and the concussion broke

about twenty feet in the air and the concussion broke the windows in several houses. A woman walking along the sidewalk was so frightened that she fell into hysteries. The bodies of three unknown men were found floating in the river yesterday, two at Hoboken and the other at Weehawken. There are now seven bodies of drowned people in Crane's Morgue.

RUTHERFORD.—The courts of the Rutherford Lawn Tennis Club were occupied yesterday by the players in the club tournament, the entries being numerous. The new clubbouse, one of the finest of its kind in the State, was open. It is fitted with electric lights, and the stained wood interior is handsome. Refreshments were served on the grounds in the clubbouse last night, but it was postponed until tonight. A good-sized crowd was present at the opening of the Rutherford Field Club's grounds yesterday morning and witnessed the defeat of the Orange Young Men's Christian Association baseball pine by the Field Club's team, the score being 10 to 5. The grounds are not yet completed, but work on the tennis courts is well under way, and the baseball diamond is in fair condition.

NEWARK.—The day passed quietly in Newark and, something unprecedented on the Fourth of July, the Fire Department did not have to respond to a single call. The police also had an easy time and few arrests were made, notwithstanding that there were picnics in all the parks and the streets were crowded with people.

OTHER SUBURBAN TOWNS.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY. THE CELEBRATION IN MOUNT VERNON.

The bell of the Methodist Church clock had just tolled midnight on Thursday when another bell was started ringing to usher in Independence Day, with now and then the booming of cannon as an accompaniment. It was the day set apart for boys to make a noise, and when daylight came parents and children were working together with lighted punk, firecrackers, were working together with fighted punk, frecrackers, torpedoes, cannons and everything else that would make a noise. There was scarcely a house or shop that did not display one or more flags, and early in the morning the comrades of Farnsworth Post raised the new big flag on the public pole. Later the post assembled on the lawn of Commander William Wilson, at Second-ave. and Second-st., and listened to the readat Second-ave, and Second-st., and listened to the reading of the Declaration of Independence by Major James H. Jenkins, and its members were then entertained by Mrs. Wilson. The house and grounds were attractively decorated with flags and bunting. The Pioneer Club, or "Tammany, Junior," as it is called, had a flag-raising at the cicbroom, in Sixth-ave. The flag was presented by John Berry, Town Treasurer. There were speeches, followed by condiments. In the evening there were many handsome displays of aerial fireworks. The Chester Hill Club had a bowling and a tennis tournament in the morning, and in the evening a billiard and pool tournament and a reception.

white Plains.—Christian Hertig, the Dane who fell from a cherry tree on the premises of Timothy Dick, in Westchester-ave., on Thursday morning, died yesterday from a compound fracture of the skull. He was thirty-one years old, and leaves a wife and child in Copenhagen. Denmark. . . Independence Day was observed by the ringing of bells at daybreak, and a parade under the auspices of Washington Camp. No. 3, Patriotic Order, Sons of America, in which several camps from New-York took part. School Cowm Slone: Lockwood read the Declaration of Independence, and S. H. Cutmingham, of Rice Post, G. A. R., New-York, acted as grand marshal. . . . Miss Nora Long, of New-York, will succeed Miss May Smith as teacher in School District No. 1.

LETTER-CARRIERS UNITING.

DELEGATES DECIDE TO JOIN THE RECENTLY FORMED NATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

A conference of representative letter-carriers from regular organizations in several of the largest cities in this country met at No. 742 Seventh-ave. yesterday. J. W. Nealan, of Newark, N. J., presided. By the unanimous vote of the delegates it was decided to join the National Association, which was organized by the representatives of about forty cities in Milwaukee August. Resolutions were passed asking the delegates to work for the National Association and to be present in force at its meeting to be held in Boston about the

The meeting was called to order in the morning by Charles M. Waldron. Charles P. Kelly made an address of welcome to the delegates, and strongly recommended the formation of a National society.

The Committee on Credentials was composed of J. F. Walsh, of Chicago, chairman; Lewis J. Mullen, of this city; Francis P. Braceland, of Philadelphia, and T. C. Roberts, of Milwaukee, Committee on Per manent Organization : E. J. White, of Newark, N. J. W. P. Byrns, of Brooklyn; Thomas H. Cordery, of San Francisco; Robert R. Sampson, of Chicago, and T. C. Roberts. Committee on Rules: Theodore W. Whittler, of Chicago; C. O. Rhodes, of Providence, and

Reilly, of Brooklyn. In the afternoon an address was made by J. J. Goodwin, of Providence, who gave a history of the National Association, urged the delegates to join it for the purpose of union, and explained all questions asked by the delegates concerning its plans. At the urgent request of the Chicago delegation the entrance fee was lowered from \$50 for organizations containing more than 300 carriers to \$5. Mr. Goodwin and his Association to procure for itself a charter at once and to furnish a bond for its secretary and treasurer.

The following cities voted through their delegates to form a National convention, each city being entitled to one vote for every 100 carriers: New-York, 11 Philadelphia, 8; Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 4; San Francisco, 2; Providence, Milwankee, Albany, Jersey City and Newark, one vote each. George Newson, a former carrier, superintendent of Station J, this city, addressed the meeting in favor of the S. S. Cox addressed the meeting in favor of the S. S. Cox memorial fund. Mr. Newson's speech was well received and promises of support were made by many organizations which had hitherto neglected to send in contributions. Among other delegates present were Charles M. Waldron, Michael J. Fitzgerald, J. A. Parsons, John F. Victory, M. C. Larkin and George F. Klein, of this city; Jersey City—C. D. Murray, John A. Coleman, John T. Murray, A. Rowiand and J. H. Whittelegge; Brooklyn—T. Easop, J. Walworth and Paul Nolan; Albany—Harry C. Latta and Charles E. Craig; Chicago—J. B. Hodge; Poughkeepsie—Edward serine.

TO OPEN THE STATE CAMP TO DAY.

The State Camp at Peekskill will be opened for the season to-day by the 9th Regiment of this city and a detail from the 2d Battery. Troop A will also start for camp to-day, but it will not reach there until to-morrow morning. The members of the oth Regiment will assemble at the armory, in West I wenty-sixth-st, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will go to the Grand Central Station, where a special train will be in waiting to convey them to camp. The detail of aptain Wilson's battery will go with the regiment on the special train. Troop A will start from Dickel's Academy, in West Fifty-sixth-st., at 2 p. m. The troopers will ride as far as Tarrytown this afternoon, where they will put up for the night under cover. An early start will be made to-morrow morning, so that the men will arrive in camp in time to go to church. Both the troop and the regiment will take full complements of men, and will undoubtedly make a good record in camp. The fact that the make a good record in camp. The fact that the annual inspections of these organizations are to be held while they are at Peekskill has caused Captain Roe and Colonel seward to put forth their best efforts to make a good record. They have been somewhat handicapped by the fact that the inspections were to be held while they are in camp, for the reason that it is much easier to secure a large attendance in the city armories than it is in camp. Consequently a stronger effort than usual has been put forth to secure the attendance of all the men possible.

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MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. TO-DAY.

Sunrises 4:31 | Sets 7:30 | Moonrises 10:22 p.m | Moon's age 18 HIGH WATER A.M.—Sandy Hook. 9:46 Gov. Island 10:03 Hell Gate. 11:56 P.M.—Sandy Hook. 9:49 Gov. Island 10:08 Hell Gate.

SHIPPING NEWS PORT OF NEW-YORK FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1890

ARRIVED.

Steamer Devonia (Br), Craig, Glasgow and Moville, via Greenock June 2s, with make and passengers to Henderson Bros. Arrived at the Bar at 3 p m. Steamer Island (Ban), Skjout, Siettin June 13, Copenhagen 17, Christiania 20, with make and passengers to Funch, Edye & Co. ARRIVED HOBOKEN.—There was an explosion of sewer-gas atternoon in Madison-st., between First and settlement and standard considerable excitement and standard (Ger), Christoffers. Bremen June 25. South-ampton 26. with moise and passengers to Octrichs & Co. Steamer Proceda (Ger), Fundt. Santos June 11. Rio Janeiro



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Steamer Eleanora, Bennett, Portland, with make to Hall. mer Gen Whitney, Bearse, Boston, with mose oo H F Steamer Gell Whitney, Dearse, 198 days, with mode to order; vessel to Powell & Bennett.
Ship Vandalia (Er), Stone, Chittagong 118 days, with mode to order; vessel to Vernon H Brown & Co.
Bark Vitez (Aust) Scinuch, Batonm 110 days, with licorice root to order; vessel to Funch, Elre & Co.
Bark Sarmiente, Gould, Barbadoes 14 days, with sugar te Brown Bros & Co. vessel to master.
Bark America, Armatrong, Barbadoes 15 days, with mode Bark Strok Co. vessel to he provided a superscript to the Trowbondge's Son.

Bark America. Armstrong. Barbadoes 10 tays, with sugar to the Trowbondge's Son.

Bark Elcho. McBride, Demerara 18 days, with sugar to I. W. & P. Armstrong.

Brig Peppine (Hall, Cafiero. Rosario 70 days, with mase to order; ressel to John C Seager.

to order; ressel to John C Seager. SUNSET-Wind at Sandy Hook, heavy, NW; with rain squalls. At City Island, wind light, SSW; cloudy.

SAILED.
Steamers Martello, for Hull; Geo Dumois, Baracoa; Talla-Also sailed-via Long Island Sound -Steamer Frutera, for Bangor.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS, FOREIGN PORTS.

LONDON, July 4—Sailed, steamer Tower Hill (Br), Bennett, for New York.

SOUTHAMPION. June 4—Sailed, steamer Columbia (Ger), Vogelgesanz, from Hamburg hence for New-York.

QUEENSTOWN. July 4—Arrived, steamer Wyoning (Br), Righy, from New-York on her way to Liverpool, and proceeded.

AVONMOUTH: June 4 Arrived, steamer California (Br.
Garrie, from New-York,
MOVILLY, July 4 - Salled, steamer Anchoria (Br.), Campbell, from Glasgow hence for New-York,
SHELDS, July 4 - Salled, steamer Mareca (Br.), Moen, for New-York. New-York.
Liverpool, July 4—Arrived, steamer Biela (Br), Spratley,
rom New-York.
COPENHAGEN, July 2—Arrived, steamer Norge (Dan),
Knudsen, rom: New-York.
HAMBURG, July 3—Arrived, steamer Rugia (Ger), Karlowa,
rom New-York. om New-York. July 2-Arrived, steamer Taormina (Ger), Koch, from New-York.

HAVEE, July 3.—Arrived, steamer Royal Welch (Br), Gibson, from New York.

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